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May 15, 2007

TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Marvin J. Southard, D.S.W.
Director of Mental Health

SUBJECT: **TERMINATION OF MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES AGREEMENT FOR
THE PROVISION OF SPECIALTY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES**

This is to advise your Board of the termination of the Mental Health Services Agreement – Medi-Cal Professional Services with Vista Psychological Center, Inc., Contract No. MH6020, effective May 3, 2007. This Agreement was terminated at the written request of the contractor per letter dated February 9, 2007, (attached), pursuant to Paragraph 2B (1) of the Agreement.

Board approval for this Mental Health Services Agreement - Medi-Cal Professional Services was given on June 20, 2006, Item No. 53.

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Attachment

c: Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors
Chief Administrative Officer
County Counsel
Roderick Shaner, M.D.
Richard Kushi
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February 9, 2007

Mr. Richard Kushi, Chief Contracts Division
County of Los Angeles
Department of Mental Health
550 S. Vermont Ave. 5th Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90020

Dear Mr. Kushi:

Johnny D. De Jesus has requested that I write this letter to confirm the fact that Vista Psychological Center is no longer seeing medical patients. I wish to terminate our group contract with the Department of Mental Health.

Sincerely,

H. Keith Massel, Ph.D.
President
Vista Psychological Center